

CLASSIFIED MESSAGE

DATE : 30 JUNE 54

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CIA HISTORICAL RECORDS
RELEASE AS SANITIZED
1996

TO : DIRECTOR

FROM : LINCOLN

SUBJECT: WH (PBS) (1-3)

INFO : WH (4), DCI (5), O/DCI (6), DD/P (L) (7), SA/PC/DCI (8)

LING 1455 (IN 23619)

0632Z 30 JUN 54

PRIORITY
PRECEDENCE

TO: PRITY DIR

INFO: PRITY SGUAT

CITE: SLINC

RYBAT PBSUCCESS

FINAL OP SITREP NO 16

1.

A. STRENGTH: 1530 ARMED IRREGULARS.

B. MOVEMENT: ALL OUT ATTACK ON ZACAPA SCHEDULED FOR 291000Z WAS CANCELLED BY ORDERS FROM LINC IN PREPARATION CEASE-FIRE ORDER. ALL TROOPS WERE ORDERED TO HOLD THEIR POSITIONS, PREPARE DEFENSES AND BE READY TO RESUME ATTACK IN EVENT OF TREACHERY BY THE ENEMY.

2. KUGOWH: STERWOOD CARRIED CEASE-FIRE MSG ALL DAY. LEAFLETS WERE DROPPED ON BOTH FRIENDLY AND ENEMY TROOPS ANNOUNCING CEASE-FIRE PREPARATIONS.

3. K PROGRAM:

COMPLIED WITH CONDITIONS ESTABLISHED BY SYNCARP FOR TERMINATING HOSTILITIES. IN THE FINAL HOUR, IT APPEARS THAT K PROGRAM SUCCESSFULLY CONTRIBUTED TO THE PROJECT.

4. AIR: FOLLOWING MISSIONS WERE LAUNCHED BEFORE CAN-

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CELLATION ORDER RECEIVED FROM LINCOLN OR WERE OTHERWISE AUTHORIZED:
CARGO DROPS: C 46 AM NO RECEPTION TEAM. BOMBED TRUCK ZACAPA.
CARGO DROP TO ADVANCE FORCES CHIQUIMULA. FIGHTER: F 32 AM
ZACAPA. PROVIDED AIR COVER FOR FIELD TROOPS. KNOCKED OUT FIELD
PIECES AIRFIELD. BOMBED BRIDGE EAST ZACAPA. F 33 AM ZACAPA.
F 47 CRASHED CHIQUIMULA AIRFIELD. WRECKED PLANE. PILOT SAFE.
F 34 PM ZACAPA. BOMBED STRAFED AREA. NO TROOP MOVEMENT OB-
SERVED. F 35 PM ZACAPA. TARGET CLOSED BY WEATHER.

5. GENERAL:

POSSIBILITY OF HOAX IN PEACE NEGOTIATIONS DISSIPATED
RAPIDLY DURING PERIOD AS RESULT OF POSITIVE ACTION T

COMPLY WITH SYNCARP'S CONDITIONS AND PLANS TO HOLD
NEGOTIATIONS IN OTFROGS ON 30 JUNE. IN VIEW OF ANTICIPATED
EARLY POLITICAL SOLUTION TO THIS OPERATION, PBSUCCESS PASSES
INTO AFTER ACTION PERIOD OF CONSOLIDATION. THEREFORE NO FURTHER
SITREPS WILL BE DISSEMINATED UNLESS RESUMPTION OF HOSTILITIES
SHOULD OCCUR.

END OF MESSAGE

CABLE SECRETARIAT COMMENT:

WH, NOTIFIED OF RECEIPT
OF THIS MESSAGE AT 0300 30 JUNE 54.